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From: Finman, Hodayah [Finman.Hodayah@epa.gov]
Sent: 1/20/2017 9:12:07 PM
To: [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]
CC: Besch, Brianna [besch.brianna@epa.gov]; [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]; Phillips, Anna [Phillips.Anna@epa.gov]; [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]
Subject: Re: Preparations for G-7 Environment Ministers Ministerial

That sounds correct. We can discuss US preparations after the close of the G7 meeting. Would be great to get your assistance on reporting cable as well. Looking forward to meeting folks in person. Best, Hodayah

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On Jan 19, 2017, at 5:50 AM, [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy] wrote:

Hodayah,

We are all set for attendees now. Also, I am assuming we no longer need the 5pm meeting since all of you will be together most of the day? Just confirming.

V/R

[Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]

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From: Finman, Hodayah [<mailto:Finman.Hodayah@epa.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, January 18, 2017 4:48 PM
To: [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]
Cc: Besch, Brianna; [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]; Phillips, Anna; [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]
Subject: Re: Preparations for G-7 Environment Ministers Ministerial

Sure, they are welcome to join me.

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On Jan 18, 2017, at 10:25 AM, [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy] wrote:

Hodayah / Anna / Brianna,

Quick question, please correct us if wrong, but Hodayah is the only EPA rep. for this event correct? If so, can [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy] be part of your delegation since there can be up to 4 persons per? If so, we can contact the organizers and let them know.

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From: Besch, Brianna [mailto:besch.brianna@epa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, January 18, 2017 2:47 PM
To: [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]; Hodayah Finman
Cc: [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]; Phillips, Anna; [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]
Subject: RE: Preparations for G-7 Environment Ministers Ministerial

Dear [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy],

Thanks again for your help on all of this. Attached is the agenda for the communique working group meeting on the 30th and the logistical information we have received. I'll let you know if we get any additional information.

Thanks,

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From: [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]
Sent: Wednesday, January 18, 2017 4:49 AM
To: Finman, Hodayah <Finman.Hodayah@epa.gov>
Cc: [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]; Phillips, Anna <Phillips.Anna@epa.gov>; [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]; Besch, Brianna <besch.brianna@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Preparations for G-7 Environment Ministers Ministerial

Thank you both! Will take what we can get!

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From: Finman, Hodayah [mailto:Finman.Hodayah@epa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, January 18, 2017 10:43 AM
To: [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]
Cc: [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]; Phillips, Anna; [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]; Besch, Brianna
Subject: Re: Preparations for G-7 Environment Ministers Ministerial

Absolutely! I'm on travel making it difficult to forward attachments so am asking Brianna to send when she gets in to the office back in DC. It's more of a logistics sheet but we now know location and times, so that is progress.

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On Jan 18, 2017, at 4:39 AM, " **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** " wrote:

Hodayah,

I will change access request for January 30th instead. See you about 5pm then.

Also, is it possible that we could get a copy of the meeting agenda you received? Thank you!

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From: **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**
Sent: Wednesday, January 18, 2017 10:31 AM
To: Hodayah Finman; **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**
Cc: Phillips, Anna; **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**
Subject: RE: Preparations for G-7 Environment Ministers Ministerial

Hi Hodayah! I think 5 p.m. would be fine. (Embassy operating hours are 8:30-5:30.) Cheers, **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**

Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy
Environment, Science, Technology & Health Counselor
U.S. Embassy Rome
Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

-----Original Message-----
From: Finman, Hodayah [<mailto:Finman.Hodayah@epa.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, January 18, 2017 10:28 AM
To: **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**
Cc: Phillips, Anna; **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**
Subject: Re: Preparations for G-7 Environment Ministers Ministerial

Thank you very much. I am looking forward to meeting with you and others at the Embassy to discuss this interesting preparation process.

I just received the meeting agenda from the Italians and if you are free to meet on Monday instead for coffee in the morning at 8:00 am or at 5 pm, I would be able to shorten my trip. That said, I recognize that the times may be outside of standard working hours and/or conflict with other meetings at this late stage. I

am flexible but thought I would check with you given the latest information.

Best regards, Hodayah

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> On Jan 13, 2017, at 3:01 AM, "[Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]" wrote:

> Hodayah,

> I will submit an access request for you to enter the compound. Please bring your passport with you. Use the pedestrian gate on Via Sallustiana, 49. If you use a taxi they will drop you off right in front or near. The red bubble on the map below marks the spot. Once you are here they will notify us and I will come get you.

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Finman, Hodayah [<mailto:Finman.Hodayah@epa.gov>]

> Sent: Thursday, January 12, 2017 5:58 PM

> To: "[Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]"

> Cc: "[Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]"

> "[Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]"

> Subject: RE: Preparations for G-7 Environment Ministers Ministerial

> That works for me. If someone can send logistical details (address, pre-clearance info etc), I would greatly appreciate it.

> Best, Hodayah

> -----Original Message-----

> From: "[Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]"

> Sent: Thursday, January 12, 2017 9:30 AM

> To: Finman, Hodayah

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> Phillips, Anna <Phillips.Anna@epa.gov<mailto:Phillips.Anna@epa.gov>>;

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> **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**
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> Subject: RE: Preparations for G-7 Environment Ministers Ministerial

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> Hodayah,

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> Could we tentatively schedule a meeting here at the Embassy Tuesday, Jan.
31st at 10am?

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> From: **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**

> Sent: Thursday, January 12, 2017 2:48 PM

> To: phillips.anna@epa.gov<mailto:phillips.anna@epa.gov>; Italy ESTH

> Cc: **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** Hodayah Finman;
> besch.brianna@epa.gov<mailto:besch.brianna@epa.gov>

> Subject: FW: Preparations for G-7 Environment Ministers Ministerial

> Importance: High

> Dear Anna,

> It will be wonderful to see you again! I'm adding my colleague **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**
who is the G7 lead in our embassy, along with our OMS (**Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy**-please calendar
the Rome meetings and note all Italian meetings in our newsletter calendar), and
the teams in Naples, Florence, and Milan involved in environmental issues. We
understand thin travel budgets and will strive to cover the Italian meetings. I
imagine you have contacts our embassy officers in the other EU countries
covering the environment, but let me know if you need any help there.

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> **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** and I are especially excited about the marine litter angle, and are

gathering support for a marine plastic trash exhibit that will travel from Copenhagen (current home) to Tallinn, Lisbon, Naples (we're gathering financial supporters - let me know if you can think of sources), and then to Malta for the Our Ocean conference, which was initiated by Secretary Kerry.

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> We'll work out the timing of a call on a separate email.

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> Warmly,

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> Environment, Science, Technology & Health Counselor U.S. Embassy Rome

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> From: Phillips, Anna [<mailto:Phillips.Anna@epa.gov>]

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> Sent: Wednesday, January 11, 2017 7:30 PM

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> To: Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

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> Cc: Hodayah Finman; Besch, Brianna; Doroski, Brenda

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> Subject: Preparations for G-7 Environment Ministers Ministerial

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> Importance: High

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> Dear

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> Happy New Year! I hope that you and yours enjoyed a relaxing break over the holidays and that you are now rested and refreshed for what lies ahead in 2017.

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> In particular... Given Italy's G-7 Presidency and their plan to host a June 11-12 Environment Ministers Meeting (EMM) in Bologna, I wanted to reach out now to begin what we hope will be strong coordination between EPA and Embassy

Rome on EMM preparations. I don't know how much you have been in touch with IMELS so far on this, but we wanted to be sure that you are up to date on what is happening. We also hope to stay in close touch with you as the EMM preparatory process proceeds between now and June.

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> To provide background and context, attached are a series of EMM documents (which you already may have seen) that include a calendar of (many!) preparatory meetings, a notional agenda and a series of concept papers which cover the 8 topics/tracks that Italy has proposed to feed into the development of the EMM Communique for the Bologna meeting.

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> A key issue for EPA is ensuring strong USG coverage of the many preparatory meetings that IMELS has planned throughout the spring, mostly in Italy. Because we do not have the travel funds or staff resources to cover them all, we were hoping to explore the potential to utilize Embassy and/or Consulate expertise and contacts to augment on-the-ground coverage of these discussions. Of course, EPA would prepare the necessary briefing materials and talking points to support your participation.

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> Recognizing that you also may be facing resource constraints, we understand the need to prioritize and we have identified two meetings for initial consideration for Embassy coverage. They include the meeting on Green Finance SME (April 5-6 in Venice) and, if Treasury is not able to cover it, the meeting on Environmental Subsidies (March 14-15 in Rome). Other meetings that are lower priority but for which Embassy coverage would be welcome if possible are meetings on Green Finance Financial Centers (February 21-22, if in Milan) and Green Policies, Growth and Employment (timing/venue not yet confirmed).

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> I am copying my colleagues Hodayah Finman and Brianna Besch who are on EPA's front line for EMM preparations. As a first step, and subject to your availability, we would like to arrange a conference call with you during the week of January 23rd so that we can discuss what lies ahead and answer any questions you might have.

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> In addition, Hodayah will be attending the January 30th meeting of the EMM Communique Working Group in Rome and she would be happy to meet with you at the Embassy on Tuesday, January 31st, if schedules permit. It would be very helpful if you could let us know your (un) availability for the proposed conference call and meeting with Hodayah so that we can proceed with scheduling.

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> As always, we greatly appreciate Embassy Rome's long-standing support for EPA and we look forward to working closely with you on the EMM.

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> All the best,

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> Subject: G7 and SDG Info
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> Hi Anna,
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> Following up on our conversation from yesterday I wanted to get you the documents we talked about. Attached first is a calendar that outlines the different G7 EMM prep meetings and who we are hoping can cover the meetings.
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> The next attachments are the calendar (attachment 00), agenda (01) and concept papers from Italy. The last attachment is the summary of the concept

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